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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents BOX NON-FEE AMENDMENT Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action dated June 27, 2001.

Formal Drawings:

Formal drawings addressing the informalities identified in the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review are attached.

In the Claims:

Please replace claims 1, 5, 12, and 17 with the following amended claims thereof: